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SUBJECT: DISARMAMENT: SYRIAN REVISED DRAFT RESOLUTION  
ON NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARIES

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF REVISED DRAFT RES ON NAPALM  
TABLED BY SYRIA AFTERNOON OF NOV 22:
2. BEGIN TEXT: QUOTE

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,  
HAVING CONSIDERED THE QUESTION OF NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS AND ALL ASPECTS OF THEIR POSSIBLE USE,  
TAKING NOTE OF THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS AND ALL ASPECTS OF THEIR POSSIBLE USE (DOCUMENT A/9726) AND THE REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENT EXPERTS HELD UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS WHICH CONTAINS A STUDY IN DEPTH OF THE QUESTION OF THE PROHIBITION OF USE OF CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS WHICH MAY CAUSE UNNECESSARY SUFFERING OR HAVE INDISCRIMINATE EFFECTS,  
RECALLING ITS RESOLUTIONS 2932 A (XXVII) AND 3076 (XXVIII) ON THIS QUESTION,  
RECALLING THE CONCLUSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON HUMAN RIGHTS, HELD IN TEHRAN IN 1968, THAT NAPALM BOMBING

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IS AMONG THE METHODS AND MEANS OF WARFARE

THAT ERODE HUMAN RIGHTS,  
EMPHASIZING THE CONSENSUS OF THE CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENT EXPERTS  
UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED  
CROSS THAT SEVERE BURN WOUNDS ARE PROBABLY THE MOST PAINFUL  
TYPE OF WOUND AND FREQUENTLY REMAIN SO FOR LONG PERIODS OF  
TIME AND THAT THEY MAY RESULT IN PERMANENT DISABILITY, INCLUDING  
PHYSICAL, FUNCTIONAL, COSMETIC, SOCIAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL  
DISABILITY,

1. CONDEMNS THE USE OF NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY WEAPONS  
IN ARMED CONFLICTS IN CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE IT DIRECTLY OR INDIR-  
ECTLY MAY AFFECT PERSONNEL;
2. URGES ALL STATES TO REFRAIN FROM PRODUCTION, STOCKPILING PROLI-  
FERATION AND USE OF SUCH WEAPONS, PENDING CONCLUSION OF  
AGREEMENTS ON THE PROHIBITION OF THESE WEAPONS;
3. INVITES ALL GOVERNMENTS, THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED  
CROSS, THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND THE OTHER INTERNATIONAL  
ORGANIZATIONS CONCERNED TO TRANSMIT TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL ALL  
INFORMATION ABOUT THE USE OF NAPALM AND OTHER INCENDIARY  
WEAPONS IN ARMED CONFLICTS;
4. REQUEST THE SECRETARY GENERAL TO PREPARE A REPORT ON THIS  
SUBJECT, BASED ON INFORMATION RECEIVED UNDER PARAGRAPH  
3 OF THE PRESENT RESOLUTION, TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY AT ITS THIRTIETH. END TEXT.

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